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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 13 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

10 a.m.	3134th meeting	Security Council Chamber
3 p.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room
Afternoon*	3135th meeting	Security Council Chamber

* Following the adjournment of the consultations of the whole.

MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE

11 a.m.- 1 p.m.	1235th meeting (closed)	Conference Room E
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GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

Informal consultations

11 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
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Open-ended ad hoc working group of the Plenary on agenda item 47 (Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields) (A/47/534, A/47/627)

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 33rd meeting Conference
Room 3

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

Agenda items [49] (A/47/42, 303 and Add.1, 618); [50] (A/47/42, 181, 355, A/C.1/47/L.32; [51] (A/47/42, A/C.1/47/INF/2, A/C.1/47/L.15/Rev.1); [53] (A/C.1/47/L.38); [54] (A/47/27, 77/Corr.1, 79, A/C.1/47/L.37); [57] (A/47/27, A/C.1/47/L.17); [58] (A/47/27, 181, A/C.1/47/L.34); [59] (A/47/468, 533, A/C.1/47/L.14); [61] (A/47/27, 42, 77/Corr.1, 79, 85, 89, 92, 93, 96, 181, 183, 225, 312, 313, 314, 316 and Add.1, 341, 342 and Corr.1, 356, 362, 370, 394, 437, 441, 449, 452, 482, 537, 618, A/C.1/47/L.12, 13, 36,); [62] (A/47/27, 96, 301, 347, 359, 391, 469, 511, 564, 568, A/C.1/47/L.2, 26/Rev.1, 33, 41); [63] (A/47/27, 42, 77, 79, 85, 321, 345, 346, 354, 371 and Add.1, 417, 470 and Corr.1, A/C.1/47/7, A/C.5/47/19, A/C.1/47/L.4, 15/Rev.1, 22,); [64] (A/47/88, 538, A/C.1/47/L.9); [67] (A/47/307, 375, 524, 618, A/C.1/47/L.46); [68] (A/47/29, A/C.1/47/L.31); [69] (A/47/56, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 81, 82, 88, 89, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 110, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 133, 135, 136, 138, 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 201, 205, 206, 208, 211/Corr.1, 213, 218, 221, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 233, 234, 239, 254, 258, 260, 267, 268, 269, 274, 275, 282, 284, 286, 290, 292, 300, 306, 318, 333, 335, 350, 351, 355, 357, 361, 372, 375, 380, 392, 421, 448, 497, 505 and Add.1, 516, 557, 561 and Corr.1, 570, 571, 572, 577 and Corr.1, 579, 602, 603, 622, 633, 634, 641, 643, A/C.1/47/3, 6, A/C.1/47/L.45); [105] (A/C.1/47/10)

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 17th meeting Trusteeship
Council Chamber

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects [75] (A/SPC/47/L.7 and L.8)

- (a) Report of the Special Committee on Peace-keeping Operations (A/47/253)
- (b) Special report of the Special Committee on Peace-keeping Operations (A/47/386)
- (c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/597 and A/47/604)

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
11 a.m. informal meeting Conference
Room 2

Address by Mr. Mahomed T. El-Ashry, Chairman of the Global Environment Facility and Director of the Environment Department of the World Bank, on the subject of "Reform of the Global Environment Facility". The address will be followed by a question-and-answer period

SECOND COMMITTEE

11 a.m.-
1 p.m. 39th meeting Conference
Room 2

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries [81]

(A/47/82-S/23512, A/47/88-S/23563, A/47/225, A/47/312-S/24238, A/47/391, A/47/437, A/47/441, A/47/449-S/24566, A/47/499, A/47/530, A/47/564, E/1992/47)

Conclusion of general discussion

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 2

Open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (A/CONF.151/26 (Vols.I-IV); A/CONF.151/26 (Vol.II/Corr.1; A/C.2/47/WG.1/CRP.8; A/C.2/47/WG.1/CRP.9)

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 38th meeting Conference
Room 1

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 39th meeting Conference
Room 1

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

- (a) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

- (b) Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5

- (c) Humanitarian questions

(A/47/12 and Add.1, A/47/91-S/23585, A/47/131, A/47/178, A/47/280, A/47/296, A/47/351-S/24357, A/47/352, A/47/364, A/47/365, A/47/391, A/47/420-S/24519, A/47/455-S/24571, A/47/529 and Corr.1, A/47/540, A/47/564, A/47/569 and A/47/638-S/24772)

6.30 p.m.-
9.30 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5

Continuation of the general discussion

Informal consultations on agenda item 112 (Personnel questions)

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

26th meeting

Conference
Room 4

1. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [111]

(A/47/11)

Continuation of the general debate

2. United Nations common system [113]

(A/47/30, A/C.5/47/25 (also agenda item 114), A/C.5/47/36, A/C.5/47/37 (also agenda item 104) and A/C.5/47/38)

Introductory statement

3. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments [17]

- (c) Appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors

(A/47/103 and A/C.5/47/32)

4. Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

Granting of travel assistance to least developed and other developing countries that are members of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law

(A/C.5/47/CRP.1; A/46/349 and A/47/454 (also agenda item 131))

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

34th meeting

General
Assembly Hall

United Nations Decade of International Law [128]
(A/47/384 and Add.1, A/47/67, A/47/60-S/23329, A/47/356-S/24367; A/C.6/47/6; A/C.6/47/L.12)

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Room S-3361

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Room S-3361

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

COMMITTEE FOR DEVELOPMENT PLANNING

WORKING GROUP III (ON TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE
IN THE CONTEXT OF THE ROLE OF THE UNITED NATIONS
IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC COOPERATION)

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on climate change and small
island developing States,
population, desertification and
Commission on Sustainable Development)

9 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room A
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GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(on climate change and small
island developing States,
population, desertification and
Commission on Sustainable Development)

Morning*- 10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room A
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* Following the adjournment of the meeting of the Group of 27.

AFRICAN GROUP: CONTACT GROUP ON THE
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ASSISTANCE
TO AFRICAN CHILDREN

3 p.m.- 4.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
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MEETING OF THE ALLIANCE OF SMALL ISLAND STATES

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7
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GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on UNCED and other matters)

6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
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GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(on UNCED and other matters)

Evening*- 8 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
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* Following the adjournment of the meeting of the Group of 27.

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
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Today, 13 November 1992, the DISARMAMENT COMMISSION will hold a meeting of its expanded Bureau to consider all matters related to the 1992 Organizational Session of the Commission scheduled on 8 December 1992. The meeting will take place at 9.30 a.m. in Conference B. Officers of the Disarmament Commission are invited to attend the meeting.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Saturday, 14 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

The open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development will meet to continue to consider item 79 (Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development)

Monday, 16 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

3 p.m.	61st PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
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1. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]:
 - (a) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples (A/47/23; A/AC.109/1097-A/AC.109/1106, A/AC.109/1108-A/AC.109/1113, A/AC.109/1116-A/AC.109/1120, A/AC.109/1123-A/AC.109/1125);
 - (b) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/506, A/47/649*).
2. Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 *e* of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/644*) [98].
3. Activities of those foreign economic and other interests which impede the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples in Territories under colonial domination and efforts to eliminate colonialism, apartheid and racial discrimination in southern Africa: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/645*) [99].
4. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations; report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/646*) [100 and 12].
5. Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/647) [101].

6. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/648*) [18].

* To be issued.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 34th meeting Conference Room 3
3 p.m. 35th meeting

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 18th meeting Conference Room 4
3 p.m. 19th meeting

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 40th meeting Conference Room 2

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 40th meeting Conference Room 1
3 p.m. 41st meeting

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5
6.30 p.m. closed meeting

FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m. 27th meeting Conference Room 2

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m. 35th meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

The AD HOC COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE 1993 PROGRAMMES OF THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES will convene on Monday, 16 November 1992, at 10 a.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

OTHER MEETINGS

There will be a closed meeting of the ARAB GROUP OF THE SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE on Tuesday, 17 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 12 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

31st meeting

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

The Committee began its third phase of work, namely, action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items.

Statements, other than explanation of vote on draft resolutions which appeared under Cluster 1, were made by the representatives of Japan, Qatar (on behalf of the members of the Group of Arab States) and Mongolia.

In explanation of position before the decision, statements were made by the representatives of Israel, India and the United Kingdom.

*Draft decision A/C.1/47/L.1/Rev.2**

The Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote.

Draft decision A/C.1/47/L.3

The Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.5

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.6

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 133 to none with 2 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.7

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.8

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.10

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.16

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.18

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.20/Rev.1

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.21

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.23

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.24

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.27

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.28/Rev.1

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.30

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 132 to none, with 3 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.39

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.42/Rev.1

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

In explanation of position after the decision, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, China, Israel, Portugal, India, Pakistan, Cuba and Cape Verde.

32nd meeting

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

The Committee continued its third phase of work, namely, action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items.

Statements, other than explanations of vote on draft resolutions which appeared under Cluster 2, were made by the representatives of Pakistan (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.19), Sweden and Sri Lanka (who introduced and orally amended draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.31).

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.11

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.19

The Committee adopted draft resolution by a recorded vote of 117 to 2, with 12 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.40

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

In explanation of position after the decision, statements were made by the representatives of Israel, the United States, Japan, Norway, Argentina, Indonesia.

A statement, other than explanation of vote on draft resolutions which appeared under Cluster 3, was made by the representative of Pakistan (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.35).

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.22

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.25

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.29

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.35

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 130 to none, with 4 abstentions.

In explanation of position after the decision, statements were made by the representatives of Cuba, India.

The representative of Ireland made a statement.

In the exercise of the right of reply statements were made by the representatives of Indonesia, Singapore, Brunei Darussalam, Malaysia, the Philippines, Thailand, Cape Verde and Portugal.

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

16th meeting

Comprehensive Review of the Whole Question of Peace-keeping Operations in all their aspects [75]

The representative of Canada introduced draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.7

The representative of Ukraine introduced draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.8.

The Committee then continued its general debate on item 75 and heard statements by the representatives of Australia, Algeria, Pakistan, Romania, Colombia, Malaysia, Cyprus, the Russian Federation, Austria and Cameroon.

The Chairman announced that Bolivia, the Niger, Peru, Croatia, Colombia, the United States, the Philippines and Belarus had joined as co-sponsors of draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.8.

The Chairman announced that the next meeting of the Committee to consider item 75 would take place on Friday, 13 November 1992, at 10 a.m.

SECOND COMMITTEE

38th meeting

*Operational activities for development [83]**Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.22*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and the representative of the United Kingdom corrected draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.22 by deleting Finland from the list of sponsors. He then introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors as listed in the document and Austria.

*Special economic and disaster relief assistance [87]**(b) Special programmes of economic assistance**Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.26*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item and the representative of the United Republic of Tanzania introduced draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.26 on behalf of the sponsors as listed in the document as well as Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Mali and Nepal.

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries [81]

The Committee began its consideration of agenda item 81 and had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/47/530) transmitting the report of the Secretary-General on policies and activities relating to assistance in the eradication of poverty and support to vulnerable groups, including assistance during the implementation of structural adjustment programmes (E/1992/47).

The representative of the Department of Economic and Social Development made an introductory statement.

The Committee then began its general discussion of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77), the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), Mexico, Bangladesh, Colombia, Indonesia, China, India, Canada, Israel and Nepal.

The representatives of the World Bank and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization made statements.

Organization of work

The Committee was reminded that the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda sub-item 78 (Part VI) (a) (Development and international economic cooperation: Trade and development) would be at 6 p.m. the same day and the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda item 12 (Report of the Economic and Social Council) was 6 p.m. on Friday, 13 November.

THIRD COMMITTEE

36th meeting

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

- (a) *Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees*
- (b) *Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons*
- (c) *Humanitarian questions*

Statements were made by the representatives of Djibouti, Rwanda, Finland, Venezuela, Belize, Côte d'Ivoire, Yemen, Slovenia, China, Israel, Mexico, the Sudan and Norway.

The observer of the International Organization for Migration also made a statement.

37th meeting

Statements were made by the representatives of Honduras (on behalf of the Central American countries), Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Indonesia, Ukraine, Turkey, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Argentina, Croatia and Mozambique.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

25th meeting

Personnel questions [112]

The Committee heard a concluding statement by the Director of Personnel, who responded to questions raised during the debate and to further questions by the representatives of Barbados, Portugal, Pakistan, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Germany, Cuba and Australia.

The Committee thus concluded the general debate on this item.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [111]

The Committee continued the general debate on this item and heard statements by the representatives of Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Kazakhstan, Egypt, Pakistan, Oman, Slovenia, Australia (on behalf also of Canada and New Zealand), India, Chile, Bangladesh, Indonesia, the Republic of Korea and Kuwait.

Organization of work

Statements were made by the representatives of the Netherlands and the United States, as well as by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

33rd meeting

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country [134]

The outgoing Chairman of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country introduced the report contained in document A/47/26.

Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba, Iraq, Romania, the Russian Federation, Belarus, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its member States) and the United States.

The Committee thus concluded its debate on the item.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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**Convention against Torture or Other Cruel
Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or
Punishment**

COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE
Ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

WEDNESDAY, 11 NOVEMBER 1992

122nd and 123rd meetings

Consideration of reports under article 19 of the Convention [4]

The Committee began and concluded its consideration of the periodic reports of Norway (CAT/C/17/Add.1) and Argentina (CAT/C/17/Add.2). In accordance with rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the representatives of the reporting States were present at the meeting, introduced the report submitted by their Governments and replied to questions raised and observations made by the members of the Committee.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC

**[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]**

*Convention on Psychotropic Substances, concluded at Vienna
on 21 February 1971*

*Accession: Niger (10 November 1992)**

*United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic
Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, concluded at Vienna on
20 December 1988*

*Accession: Niger (10 November 1992)**

*Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain
Conventional Weapons which may be deemed to be excessively
injurious or to have indiscriminate effects (and
Protocols), concluded at Geneva on 10 October 1980*

*Accession: Niger (10 November 1992)**

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Photo exhibit

The Secretary-General will open a photo exhibit entitled "Somalia's Cry" documenting the suffering in the East African nation, on Monday, 16 November 1992, at 6.15 p.m. in the General Assembly Public Lobby. Staff and members of delegations are invited to attend.

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GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2
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The open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to
the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development

Monday, 16 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

10 a.m.	3136th meeting	Security Council Chamber
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AD HOC COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE ANNOUNCEMENT
OF VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE 1993 PROGRAMMES
OF THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	1st meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
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GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

3 p.m.

61st PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

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1 p.m.

34th meeting

Conference
Room 3

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

Agenda items [49] (A/47/42, 303 and Add.1, 618); [50] (A/47/42, 181, 355, A/C.1/47/L.32; [51] (A/47/42, A/C.1/47/INF/2, A/C.1/47/L.15/Rev.1); [53] (A/C.1/47/L.38); [58] (A/47/27, 181, A/C.1/47/L.34); [59] (A/47/468, 533, A/C.1/47/L.14); [61] (A/47/27, 42, 77/Corr.1, 79, 85, 89, 92, 93, 96, 181, 183, 225, 312, 313, 314, 316 and Add.1 and 2, 341, 342 and Corr.1, 356, 362, 370, 394, 437, 441, 449, 452, 482, 537, 618, A/C.1/47/L.13/Rev.1); [62] (A/47/27,

96, 301, 347, 359, 391, 469, 511, 564, 568, A/C.1/47/L.2, 26/Rev.2.); [63] (A/47/27, 42, 77, 79, 85, 321, 345, 346, 354, 371 and Add.1, 417, 470 and Corr.1, A/C.1/47/7, A/C.5/47/19, A/C.1/47/L.4, 15/Rev.1, 22, 48); [64] (A/47/88, 538, A/C.1/47/L.9/Rev.1); [67] (A/47/307, 375, 524, 618, A/C.1/47/L.46); [68] (A/47/29, A/C.1/47/L.31); [69] (A/47/56, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 81, 82, 88, 89, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 110, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 133, 135, 136, 138, 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 201, 205, 206, 208, 211/Corr.1, 213, 218, 221, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 233, 234, 239, 254, 258, 260, 267, 268, 269, 274, 275, 282, 284, 286, 290, 292, 300, 306, 318, 333, 335, 350, 351, 355, 357, 361, 372, 375, 380, 392, 421, 448, 497, 505 and Add.1, 516, 557, 561 and Corr.1, 570, 571, 572, 577 and Corr.1, 579, 602, 603, 622, 633, 634, 641, 643, A/C.1/47/3, 6, A/C.1/47/L.45, 47); [105] (A/C.1/47/10, 11)

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 18th meeting Conference Room 4

1. Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects [75] (A/SPC/47/L.7 and L.8)

(a) Report of the Special Committee on Peace-keeping Operations (A/47/253)

(b) Special report of the Special Committee on Peace-keeping Operations (A/47/386)

(c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/597 and A/47/604)

2. Questions relating to information [76]

(a) Report of the Committee on Information (A/47/21)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/462)

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 40th meeting Conference Room 2

1. Special economic and disaster relief assistance [87]

(b) Special programmes of economic assistance

Report of the Secretary-General on special assistance to the front-line States (A/47/573)

Report of the Secretary-General on emergency assistance to the Sudan and Operation Lifeline Sudan (A/47/554)

Introductory statement and general discussion

2. International cooperation and assistance to alleviate the consequences of war in Croatia and to facilitate its recovery [144] (A/47/242; A/C.2/47/2)

3. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Introduction of draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.23 and L.34

4. Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(a) Trade and development

Introduction of draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.30, L.31, L.32 and L.33

5. International conference on the financing of development [86]

Introduction of draft decision A/C.2/47/L.27

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.15, L.26 (item 87 (b)); A/C.2/47/L.17 (item 88); A/C.2/47/L.21, L.22 (item 83)

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.12 (item 78); A/C.2/47/L.16 (item 82); A/C.2/47/L.9 (item 84); A/C.2/47/L.14 (item 85); A/C.2/47/L.27 (item 86)

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

6 p.m.-
9 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.15, L.26 (item 87 (b)); A/C.2/47/L.17 (item 88); A/C.2/47/L.21, L.22 (item 83)

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 40th meeting Conference Room 1

Human rights questions [97]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments (A/47/40, A/47/41, A/47/44, A/47/427, A/47/428, A/47/429, A/47/518, A/47/628, A/47/632, A/47/662)

Introductory statement

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 41st meeting Conference
Room 1

1. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

- (a) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
(b) Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons
(c) Humanitarian questions

(A/47/12 and Add.1, A/47/91-S/23585, A/47/131, A/47/178, A/47/280, A/47/296, A/47/351-S/24357, A/47/352, A/47/364, A/47/365, A/47/391, A/47/420-S/24519, A/47/455-S/24571, A/47/529 and Corr.1, A/47/540, A/47/564, A/47/569 and A/47/638-S/24772)

Conclusion of the general discussion

Introduction of draft resolutions and decision A/C.3/47/L.27, A/C.3/47/L.34-35

2. Narcotic drugs [95]

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.3/47/L.28-33

3. Social Development [93]

- (b) Crime prevention and criminal justice

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.16 (programme budget implications A/C.3/47/L.26)

4. Human Rights [97]

- (b) Human rights questions: Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.20/Rev.1 (programme budget implications A/C.3/47/L.25)

THIRD COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations
(Panel discussion)*

Morning*-
1 p.m. open meeting

Conference
Room 1

* Following the adjournment of the 40th meeting of the Third Committee.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 102 (Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors)

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 124 (Administrative and financial aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations)

6.30 p.m.-
9.30 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda items 106 (Current financial crisis of the United Nations) and 107 (Financial emergency of the United Nations)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 35th meeting Trusteeship Council
Chamber

United Nations Decade of International Law [128]
(A/47/384 and Add.1, A/47/67, A/47/60-S/23329, A/47/356-S/24367; A/C.6/47/6; A/C.6/47/L.12)

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country [134] (A/C.6/47/L.13)

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-fourth session [129] (A/C.6/47/L.14)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

OTHER MEETINGS**GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77**
(on water resolution and UNCED matters)**GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77**
(on East-West issues and agenda for development)3 p.m. closed meeting Economic and Social
Council Chamber6 p.m.-
9 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 8**GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE**
(on East-West issues and agenda for development)Afternoon*-
6 p.m. closed meeting Economic and Social
Council Chamber* Following the adjournment of the meeting of the Group
of 27.The Friends of the Chairman of the FIRST COMMITTEE will
hold a closed meeting on Monday, 16 November 1992, at
3.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7.**FORTHCOMING MEETINGS***Tuesday, 17 November 1992***GENERAL ASSEMBLY***Forty-seventh session***GENERAL COMMITTEE**

9.30 a.m. 4th meeting Conference Room 4

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and
allocation of items [8]:

- (a) Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by the Russian Federation (A/47/247);
- (b) Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Nicaragua (A/47/248);
- (c) Letter from Afghanistan (A/47/661).

3 p.m. 62nd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]:

- (a) Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);
- (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);
- (c) Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);

- (d) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);
 - (e) Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616).
2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]:
- (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.15).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE			SECOND COMMITTEE		
10 a.m.	35th meeting	Conference Room 3	3 p.m.	41st meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.	36th meeting		6 p.m.	42nd meeting	
SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE			THIRD COMMITTEE		
10 a.m.	19th meeting	Conference Room 4	10 a.m.	42nd meeting	Conference Room 1
SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE			FIFTH COMMITTEE		
WORKING GROUP ON QUESTIONS RELATING TO INFORMATION			10 a.m.	27th meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6	FIFTH COMMITTEE		
			<i>Informal consultations</i>		
SECOND COMMITTEE			3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
<i>Informal consultations</i>			SIXTH COMMITTEE		
10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6	10 a.m.	36th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
SECOND COMMITTEE			* * *		
<i>Informal consultations</i>			ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS		
10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6	3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

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The next meeting of the open-ended ad hoc working group of the Plenary on agenda item 47 (Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related field) will be convened by H.E. Mr. Ramiro Piriz-Ballon (Uruguay) on Wednesday, 18 November 1992, at 10.00 a.m. in Conference Room 6.

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OTHER MEETINGS

A closed meeting of the INFORMAL OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP ON AGENDA ITEM 10 (Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization, including "An agenda for peace: preventive diplomacy, peacemaking and peace-keeping") will be held on Tuesday, 17 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 7.

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There will be a closed meeting of the GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77, to discuss streamlining of the agendas of the Economic and Social Council and the General Assembly, on Tuesday, 17 November 1992, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7.

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There will be a closed meeting of the ARAB GROUP OF THE SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE on Tuesday, 17 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

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Weekly DPI/NGO Briefing

The DPI/NGO briefing on the United Nations Human Development Report will take place on Thursday, 19 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

At 10 a.m., the UNDP video "Choices for the Next Century" will be screened. At 10.30 a.m., the speaker will be Dr. Mahbudul Haq, Special Advisor to the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 13 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

3134th meeting

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Letter dated 5 October 1992 from the Representatives of Egypt, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Senegal and Turkey addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24620)

Letter dated 4 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24761)

Letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Belgium to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24785)

Letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24786)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the members of the Council, invited the representatives of Albania, Azerbaijan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, the Comoros, Croatia, Germany, Egypt, Indonesia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Italy, Jordan, Malaysia, Pakistan, Qatar, Senegal, Slovenia and Turkey, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to a letter dated 12 November 1992 from the Permanent Observer of Palestine to the United Nations (S/24804) requesting an invitation to participate in the debate, in accordance with the Council's past practice and as Chairman of the Arab Group for the month of November 1992.

The representative of the United States made a statement regarding this request.

The Council then proceeded to vote on the request.

Decision: The request by Palestine, having received 10 votes in favour to 1 against (United States of America) with 4 abstentions (Belgium, France, Hungary and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland), was approved.

In accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations and the request contained in a letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Belgium to the United Nations (S/24785), the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Cyrus Vance

and Lord Owen, Co-Chairmen of the Steering Committee of the International Conference on Yugoslavia.

In accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure to Mrs. Sadaka Ogata, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

The President drew attention to the requests contained in the letters dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representatives of Belgium and France to the United Nations (S/24785 and S/24786, respectively) that the Security Council extend an invitation under rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Mazowiecki.

The representatives of China and Zimbabwe made statements in connection with these requests.

The President, with the consent of the Council, then extended an invitation under rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Mazowiecki.

The Security Council began its consideration of the item by hearing statements by Mr. Vance, Lord Owen, Mrs. Ogata and Mr. Mazowiecki.

Statements were made by the representatives of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Austria, Cape Verde, Japan and Belgium.

3135th meeting

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Letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24786)

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Kuwait, Lithuania, Norway,

in the discussion without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited His Excellency Foreign Minister Ilija Djukic, at his request, to address the Council in the course of the discussion of the item before it.

The Council continued its consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of the United Kingdom, the United States, China, France, Turkey, Malaysia, Germany and Egypt.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

33rd meeting

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

The Committee continued its third phase of work, namely, action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items.

Statements, other than explanation of vote on draft resolutions which appeared under Cluster 4, were made by the representatives of Mexico (who orally revised A/C.1/47/L.37), Pakistan (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.17) and India.

In explanation of vote before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of France and the United Kingdom.

Draft decision A/C.1/47/L.1/Rev.12

The Committee adopted the draft decision by a recorded vote of 133 to none, with 4 abstentions.

Draft decision A/C.1/47/L.17

The Committee adopted the draft decision by a recorded vote of 139 to none, with 2 abstentions.

Draft decision A/C.1/47/L.33

The Committee adopted the draft decision by a recorded vote of 97 to 21, with 19 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.36

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.37

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised, by a recorded vote of 136 to one, with 4 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.41

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 92 to 18, with 28 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Nigeria, Bulgaria, New Zealand, the United States, the Russian Federation, India, China, Australia, Peru, Latvia, Ukraine, Belarus and Zaire.

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

17th meeting

Comprehensive Review of the Whole Question of Peace-keeping Operations in all their aspects [75]

The Committee continued its general debate on item 75 and heard statements by the representatives of Poland, China, Ireland, Lebanon, the United States, Turkey, Peru, Ukraine, Brazil, Mauritania, Greece, Bulgaria, Ghana, Mali, Cuba, the Philippines and Egypt.

The Chairman announced that Costa Rica, Romania and the Republic of Korea had joined as co-sponsors of draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.8.

The Chairman also announced that the Committee would continue and conclude its general debate on item 75 at the next meeting on Monday, 16 November, at 10 a.m. Action on the two draft resolutions would be taken at a time to be announced upon receipt of the statement of programme budget implications of draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.7.

Questions relating to information [76]

The Chairman announced that the Committee would begin its general debate on item 76, that the list of speakers was open and that he intended to close the list at the end of the meeting on Tuesday, 17 November.

Programme planning [105]

The Chairman reminded those delegations wishing to express their views and recommendations on revised programmes 1, 2, 4 to 6, 8, 35, 36 and 38 of the medium-term plan 1992-1997, to do so in writing and to submit them to the Chairman no later than Tuesday, 17 November.

SECOND COMMITTEE

39th meeting

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries [81]

The Committee continued consideration of agenda item 81 heard statements by the representatives of Togo, Panama (also on behalf of Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua), Algeria, Venezuela, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador and Benin.

The observer of the Holy See made a statement.

The representative of the Organization of African Unity made a statement.

The representative of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded the general discussion of agenda item 81.

Extension of deadline

At the request of the representative of Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77), the Committee agreed to extend the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda items 12 (Report of the Economic and Social Council) and 78 (Development and international economic cooperation: questions to be considered under the general heading) to 1 p.m. on Friday, 27 November.

Organization of work

Having been informed that the delegation of Afghanistan had requested the President of the General Assembly to re-allocate agenda item 141 (Emergency international assistance for the reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan) for direct consideration in the Plenary, the Committee decided to defer consideration of the item in the Second Committee pending a decision by the General Assembly.

The Committee was reminded that the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda sub-item 78 (Part VI) (a) (Development and international economic cooperation: Trade and development) and under agenda item 12 (Report of the Economic and Social Council) was set for 6 p.m. the same day.

THIRD COMMITTEE

38th meeting

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

(a) *Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees*

(b) *Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons*

(c) *Humanitarian questions*

Statements were made by the representatives of Australia, the Moldova, Hungary, Japan, Brazil, Kenya, Ethiopia, Austria, Liberia, India, Sweden, Burundi and Egypt.

39th meeting

Statements were made by the representatives of Romania, Guinea, Canada, New Zealand, Viet Nam, Thailand, Bangladesh, Cyprus, Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, the Russian Federation, Jordan, Algeria, Armenia and Azerbaijan.

Statement was made by the observer of the Holy See.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

26th meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [111]

The Committee continued the general debate on this item and heard statements by the representatives of Mexico, Cuba, Venezuela, Belarus, the United States and Argentina.

United Nations common system [113]

The Committee began its consideration of this item and heard an introductory statement by the Chairman of the International Civil Service Commission.

Pursuant to a decision taken by the Committee at its fifteenth meeting, the representatives of the Coordinating Committee for Independent Staff Unions and Associations of the United Nations System (CCISUA) and the Federation of International Civil Servants' Associations (FICSA) made statements.

The representatives of France and Yemen, as well as the Chairman of the Commission, spoke on points of procedure.

Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments [17]

(c) *Appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors*

The Chairman announced that the Government of Pakistan had decided to withdraw the candidature of the Auditor-General of Pakistan.

The Committee decided, following a secret ballot, to recommend that the General Assembly appoint the Comptroller and Auditor General of India to the United Nations Board of Auditors for a three-year term of office beginning 1 July 1993.

The Chairman declared the consideration of agenda item 17 (c) concluded.

125th meeting

Organization of work

Statements were made by the representative of the Netherlands and by the Chairman and the Secretary of the Committee.

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [4]

The Committee considered the periodic report of Ukraine (CAT/C/17/Add.4). In accordance with rule 66 of the rules of procedure, representatives of the reporting state were present at the meeting, introduced the report submitted by their government and replied to questions raised and observations made by members of the Committee.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

34th meeting

Report of the United Nations Decade of International Law [128]

The Chairman of the Working Group on the United Nations Decade of International Law introduced the report of the Working Group contained in document A/C.6/47/L.12.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, China, Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries), the Russian Federation, Mexico, India, Austria, Belarus, Japan, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its member States) and Mali.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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Convention against Torture or Other Cruel Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment

COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE
Ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

THURSDAY, 12 NOVEMBER 1992

124th meeting

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [4]

The Committee further discussed the conclusions of the report of Argentina.

Organizational and other matters [2]

The Committee continued its consideration of this item, in particular, matters relating to the report of the meeting of chairpersons of Human rights treaty bodies.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Photo exhibit

The Secretary-General will open a photo exhibit entitled "Somalia's Cry" documenting the suffering in the East African nation, on Monday, 16 November 1992, at 6.15 p.m. in the General Assembly Public Lobby. Staff and members of delegations are invited to attend.

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Chairmen of the regional groups

The following information regarding the Chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of November has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Mauritius
H.E. Mr. Sattceanund Peerthum

Asian States:

United Arab Emirates
H.E. Mr. Mohammad J. Samhan

Eastern European States:

Azerbaijan
H.E. Mr. Hassan Aziz Ogly Hassanov

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Venezuela
H.E. Mr. Diego Arria

Western European and Other States:

Spain
H.E. Mr. Don Juan Antonio Yañez-Barnuevo

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 17 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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3 p.m.

62nd PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

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 - (e) Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616).
2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]:
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.15).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10.30 a.m. 35th meeting Conference Room 3

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

Agenda items [49] (A/47/42, 303 and Add.1, 618); [58] (A/47/27, 181; A/C.1/47/L.34); [59] (A/47/468, 533; A/C.1/47/L.14); [61] (A/47/27, 42, 77/Corr.1, 79, 85, 89, 92, 93, 96, 181, 183, 225, 312, 313, 314, 316 and Add.1 and 2, 341, 342 and Corr.1, 356, 362, 370, 394, 437, 441, 449, 452, 482, 537, 618; A/C.1/47/L.13/Rev.2); [62] (A/47/27, 96, 301, 347, 359, 391, 469, 511, 564, 568; A/C.1/47/L.2, L.26/Rev.2, L.52); [63] (A/47/27, 42, 77, 79, 85, 321, 345, 346, 354, 371 and Add.1, 417, 470 and Corr.1; A/C.1/47/7, A/C.5/47/19; A/C.1/47/L.4, L.22, L.48); [67] (A/47/307, 375, 524, 618; A/C.1/47/L.46); [69] (A/47/56, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 81, 82, 88, 89, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 110, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 133, 135, 136, 138, 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 201, 205, 206, 208, 211/Corr.1, 213, 218, 221, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 233, 234, 239, 254, 258, 260, 267, 268, 269, 274, 275, 282, 284, 286, 290, 292, 300, 306, 318, 333, 335, 350, 351, 355, 357, 361, 372, 375, 380, 392, 421, 448, 497, 505 and Add.1, 516, 557, 561 and Corr.1, 570, 571, 572, 577 and Corr.1, 579, 602, 603, 622, 633, 634, 641, 643; A/C.1/47/3, 6; A/C.1/47/L.45, L.47); [105] (A/C.1/47/10, 11)

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m. 19th meeting Conference Room 4

Questions relating to information [76]

(a) Report of the Committee on Information (A/47/21)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/462)

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP ON QUESTIONS RELATING TO INFORMATION

3 p.m.- 6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.- 1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.23 and L.24 (item 12); A/C.2/47/L.31 and L.33 (item 78 (a))

10 p.m.- 1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.7/Rev.1 (item 78 (e)); A/C.2/47/L.12 (item 78); A/C.2/47/L.16 (item 82); A/C.2/47/L.9 (item 84); A/C.2/47/L.14 (item 85); A/C.2/47/L.27 (item 86)

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m. 41st meeting Conference Room 2

6 p.m.- 9 p.m. 42nd meeting Conference Room 2

1. Training and research [89]

(a) United Nations Institute for Training and Research (A/47/14, Supplement No. 14, A/47/458)

2. Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(b) Food and agricultural development (A/47/19, Supplement No. 19, and Add.1, A/47/395)

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m. 42nd meeting Conference Room 1

1. Human rights [97]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments (A/47/40, A/47/41, A/47/44, A/47/427, A/47/428, A/47/429, A/47/518, A/47/628, A/47/632)

General discussion

* At 11 a.m., the 1992 Nobel Peace Prize Winner, Mrs. Rigoberta Menchu, will address the Committee.

2. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

- (a) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
- (b) Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons
- (c) Humanitarian questions

Introduction of draft resolutions and decision A/C.3/47/L.36, L.37 and L.38

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 27th meeting Conference Room 2

1. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [111]

(A/47/11)

Conclusion of the general debate

2. United Nations common system [113]

(A/47/30; A/C.5/47/25 (also agenda item 114), A/C.5/47/36, A/C.5/47/37 (also agenda item 104) and A/C.5/47/38)

United Nations pension system [114]

(A/47/9, A/47/578; A/C.5/47/8 and A/C.5/47/25 (also agenda item 113))

Continuation of the general debate

3. Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

Granting of travel assistance to least developed and other developing countries that are members of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law

(A/C.5/47/CRP.1; A/46/349 and A/47/454 (also agenda item 131))

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 110 (Pattern of conferences)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 36th meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

United Nations Decade of International Law [128]
(A/47/384 and Add.1, A/47/67, A/47/60-S/23329, A/47/356-S/24367; A/C.6/47/6; A/C.6/47/L.12)

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77 (on UNCED matters)

9 a.m.-
10.15 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room 7

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77 (on the complementarity of the General Assembly and the Economic and Social Council)

11 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 7

MEETING OF THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

Morning*-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 3

* Following the adjournment of the 35th meeting of the First Committee.

ARAB GROUP OF THE SPECIAL
POLITICAL COMMITTEE

2 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 8

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The 3rd (closed) meeting of the INFORMAL OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP ON AGENDA ITEM 10 (Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization, including "An agenda for peace: preventive diplomacy, peacemaking and peace-keeping") will be held *today*, 17 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 7.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 18 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

9.30 a.m.

4th meeting

Conference Room 4

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items [8]:

- (a) Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by the Russian Federation (A/47/247);
- (b) Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Nicaragua (A/47/248);
- (c) Letter from Afghanistan (A/47/661).

10 a.m.

63rd PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

3 p.m.

64th PLENARY MEETING

1. Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]:

- (a) Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);
- (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);
- (c) Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);
- (d) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);
- (e) Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616).

2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]:

- (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);
- (b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.15).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 36th meeting Conference Room 3
3 p.m. 37th meeting

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 28th meeting Conference Room 2

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 37th meeting
3 p.m. Trusteeship Council Chamber
38th meeting

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP ON QUESTIONS
RELATING TO INFORMATION

10 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m. closed meeting
3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

3 p.m. 20th meeting Conference Room 2

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m. 43rd meeting Conference Room 4

The next meeting of the open-ended ad hoc working group of the Plenary on agenda item 47 (Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related field) will be convened by H.E. Mr. Ramiro Piriz-Ballon (Uruguay) on Wednesday, 18 November 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 6.

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

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SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

The next meeting of the open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development to consider item 79 (Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development) will take place on Wednesday, 18 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 43rd meeting
3 p.m. 44th meeting Conference Room 1

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The 192nd meeting of the COMMITTEE ON THE EXERCISE OF THE INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE will be held on Thursday, 19 November 1992, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 5.

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OTHER MEETINGS

There will be a closed meeting of the GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77 (*on the agenda for development*) on Wednesday, 18 November 1992, from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. in Conference Room 8.

There will be a closed meeting of the GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE (*at the ambassadorial level*) (*on restructuring*) on Wednesday, 18 November 1992, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

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Weekly DPI/NGO Briefing

The DPI/NGO briefing on the United Nations Human Development Report will take place on Thursday, 19 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

At 10 a.m., the UNDP video "Choices for the Next Century" will be screened. At 10.30 a.m., the speaker will be Dr. Mahbudul Haq, Special Advisor to the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 16 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

3136th meeting

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Letter dated 5 October 1992 from the Representatives of Egypt, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Senegal and Turkey addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24620)

Letter dated 4 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24761)

Letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Belgium to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24785)

Letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24786)

The President, with the consent of the members of the Council, invited the representatives of Greece, Malta and the United Arab Emirates, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/24808) submitted by Belgium, France, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Council continued its consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of the Russian Federation, Ecuador, Venezuela, Zimbabwe, Pakistan, Slovenia, Canada, Albania and Indonesia.

The observer of Palestine made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Jordan and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

3137th meeting

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Letter dated 5 October 1992 from the Representatives of Egypt, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Senegal and Turkey addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24620)

Letter dated 4 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24761)

Letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Belgium to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24785)

Letter dated 9 November 1992 from the Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24786)

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Algeria and Bangladesh, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The Council continued its consideration of the item and heard a statement by the representative of India.

The President made a statement, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Hungary.

Statements were made by the representatives of Italy, Qatar, the Comoros, Norway, Lithuania, Croatia, Azerbaijan, Kuwait, Afghanistan and Tunisia.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Foreign Minister Ilija Djukic.

Statements were made by the representatives of Morocco, Ukraine, the United Arab Emirates, Greece, Malta, Algeria, Bangladesh and Senegal.

A further statement was made by the representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

The President drew attention to the revised text (S/24808/Rev.1) of the draft resolution submitted by Belgium, France, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The President announced further revisions to the revised draft resolution contained in document S/24808/Rev.1 in its provisional form.

The Council proceeded to the vote on the revised draft resolution S/24808/Rev.1, as orally modified in its provisional form.

Statements before the vote were made by the representatives of China and Zimbabwe.

Decision: The revised draft resolution (S/24808/Rev.1), as orally modified in its provisional form, received 13 votes in favour, none against and two abstentions (China and Zimbabwe) and was adopted as resolution 787 (1992).

Following the vote, a statement was made by the representative of Austria

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

61st plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/47/442/Add.5) [111]

The Assembly took note that the Central African Republic had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples (A/47/23; A/AC.109/1097-A/AC.109/1106, A/AC.109/1108-A/AC.109/1113, A/AC.109/1116-A/AC.109/1120, A/AC.109/1123-A/AC.109/1125);*
- (b) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/506, A/47/649);*
- (c) *Draft resolutions (A/47/L.16, A/47/L.17 and A/47/L.18)*

The Rapporteur of the Special Committee introduced the report.

The Chairman of the Special Committee made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolutions A/47/L.17 and A/47/L.18.

The representative of Grenada made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/47/L.16.

Statements were made by the representatives of India, Madagascar, the Syrian Arab Republic, El Salvador and Indonesia.

The President informed the Assembly that action on draft resolutions A/47/L.16, A/47/L.17 and A/47/L.18 would be taken at a later date to be announced in the *Journal*.

The President further informed the Assembly that, concerning agenda item 105 (Programme planning), those representatives who would like to express their views on the programmes that had been allocated to plenary meeting, namely programmes 1 to 6, 37 and 45, all of which had been issued as a fascicle of document A/47/6, entitled "Proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997", may do so in writing no later than Monday, 23 November.

In this connection, the President reminded members that Part II of the report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination on the second part of its thirty-second session (document A/47/16/Part II) contained the recommendations of the Committee on each of the programmes submitted to plenary meeting for review and that the programme budget implications arising from the report of the Committee were issued in document A/47/16/(Parts I and II)/Add. 1.

Reports of the Fourth Committee

The Rapporteur of the Fourth Committee introduced the reports of the Committee on agenda items 98, 99, 100 and 12 and 101.

Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/644) [98]

By 142 votes to none, with 3 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Fourth Committee in paragraph 7 of its report (A/47/644) (resolution 47/14).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 98.

Activities of those foreign economic and other interests which impede the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples in Territories under colonial domination and efforts to eliminate colonialism, apartheid and racial discrimination in southern Africa: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/645) [99]

By 95 votes to 34, with 12 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Fourth Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/47/645) (resolution 47/15).

By 98 votes to 39, with 10 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Fourth Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/47/645).

A statement in explanation of vote after the vote was made by the representative of Malta.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 99.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations; report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/646) [100 and 12]

By 100 votes to 30, with 19 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Fourth Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/47/646) (resolution 47/16).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 100 and of chapters I and V (section 8) of the report of the Economic and Social Council (agenda item 12).

Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Fourth Committee (A/47/647) [101]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Fourth Committee in paragraph 7 of its report (A/47/647) (resolution 47/17).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 101.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

34th meeting

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

The Committee continued its third phase of work, namely, action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items.

Statement, other than explanation of vote on draft resolution which appeared under Cluster 2, was made by the representative of Kenya (who orally revised A/C.1/47/L.14).

In explanation of vote before the vote, a statement was made by the representative of Australia (who also spoke on behalf of New Zealand).

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.31/Rev.1

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 98 to 3, with 31 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Spain and Kenya.

In explanation of vote before the vote on draft resolutions which appeared under Cluster 4, statements were made by the representatives of Sweden (who spoke on behalf of the Nordic States), Israel, Nigeria, United States, Syria and Qatar.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.9/Rev.1

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 54 to 3, with 70 abstentions.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.38

The Committee adopted operative paragraph 1 of the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 86 to 2, with 43 abstentions.

The Committee adopted operative paragraph 2 of the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 89 to 2, with 41 abstentions.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution as a whole by a recorded vote of 93 to 2, with 40 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Turkey, Russian Federation, Israel, Romania, India, Australia, Japan, Sweden, Ukraine and Canada.

A statement, other than explanation of vote on draft resolution which appeared under Cluster 5, was made by the representative of India.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.15/Rev. 1

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.32

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 104 to 3, with 28 abstentions.

In explanation of vote after the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Australia and Poland.

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

18th meeting

Comprehensive Review of the Whole Question of Peace-keeping Operations in all their aspects [75]

The Committee concluded its general debate on item 75 and heard statements by the representatives of Belarus, Sri Lanka, Bolivia, Tunisia, Bangladesh, Kuwait, Azerbaijan and El Salvador, as well as by the observer of the International Committee of the Red Cross.

The Chairman announced that the Committee would take action on the draft resolutions pertaining to this item upon receipt of the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.7.

Questions relating to information [76]

The Chairman drew attention to the documentation pertaining to item 76.

The Under-Secretary-General for Public Information, made an introductory statement.

The Acting Chairman of the Committee on Information, introduced the Committee's report.

The Director of the UNESCO Liaison Office, made a statement.

The Chairman reminded all delegations wishing to speak on this item to inscribe as soon as possible. The list of speakers would be closed at the end of the meeting on Tuesday, 17 November.

Working Group of the Special Political Committee on Questions Relating to Information

The Chairman informed members that a meeting of the Working Group of the Special Political Committee on Questions Relating to Information has been scheduled for Tuesday, 17 November, at 3 p.m., in Conference Room 6.

SECOND COMMITTEE

40th meeting

Special economic and disaster relief assistance [87]

(a) *Special programmes of economic assistance*

Report of the Secretary-General on special assistance to the front-line States

Report of the Secretary-General on emergency assistance to the Sudan and Operation Lifeline Sudan

International cooperation and assistance to alleviate the consequences of war in Croatia and to facilitate its recovery [144]

The Committee began its consideration of the cluster of items and had before it the report of the Secretary-General on special assistance to the front-line states (A/47/573) and the report of the Secretary-General on emergency assistance to the Sudan and Operation Lifeline Sudan (A/47/554).

The Director of the Branch on Pacific Settlement Procedures in Africa, Department of Political Affairs, made an introductory statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Sudan, Zimbabwe, Croatia, Japan, the Russian Federation and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

The representative of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization made a statement.

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.23

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and the representative of the United States introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors as listed in the document.

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.34

The representative of Pakistan introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77.

Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(a) *Trade and development*

Draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.31 and L.33

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item and the representative of Pakistan introduced the draft resolutions on behalf of the Group 77.

International conference on the financing of development [86]

Draft decision A/C.2/47/L.27

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and the representative of Pakistan introduced the draft decision on behalf of the Group of 77.

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The representative of Japan raised a question.

The Secretary of the Committee responded to the question raised.

THIRD COMMITTEE

40th meeting

Human rights questions [97]

(a) *Implementation of human rights instruments*

The Committee began its consideration of the item and heard an introductory statement by the Director of the Implementation of International Instruments and Procedures Branch of the Centre for Human Rights.

41st meeting

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

(a) *Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees*

(b) *Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons*

(c) *Humanitarian questions*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Morocco and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The Director of External Affairs and Chef de Cabinet, Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees made concluding remarks.

The representatives of Algeria and Morocco made statements in the exercise of the right of reply.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of the item.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.27

The representative of Honduras, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.34

The representative of Norway, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Australia, Bangladesh, China, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Ethiopia, Germany, Nicaragua, Panama, the Philippines, Poland and Rwanda, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft decision A/C.3/47/L.35

The Chairman introduced the draft decision submitted by him.

Narcotic drugs [95]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.28

The representative of Venezuela, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as the Philippines, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.29

The representative of Cuba, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.30

The representative of Colombia, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Austria, France, Italy, Spain, Sweden, Turkey and the United Kingdom, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.31

The representative of the United States, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Australia, Belgium, Iceland, Luxembourg and Thailand, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.32

The representative of Mexico, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Japan, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, New Zealand, the Philippines, Portugal, Sweden, Thailand and Turkey, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.33

The representative of Bolivia, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Azerbaijan, Cameroon, Cyprus, Ghana, Grenada, the Philippines and Vanuatu, introduced the draft resolution.

Social developpement [93]

(b) Crime prevention and criminal justice

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.16 (programme budget implications A/C.3/47/L.26)

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by 97 votes to 1, with 41 abstentions (recorded vote)

After the adoption of the draft resolution, the representative of Uganda made a statement.

Statements were also made by the representatives of the Syrian Arab Republic, Japan, Trinidad and Tobago and Qatar.

Human rights questions [97]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.20/Rev.1 (programme budget implications in A/C.3/47/L.25)

The Chairman introduced the revised draft resolution.

The representative of Brazil made a statement.

The Committee adopted the revised draft resolution, after which statements were made by the representatives of India, Canada, Germany, Belgium, France, Benin, the United States, China, Japan and Ireland.

Organization of work

The Chairman announced that the deadline for the submission of draft proposals under sub-item 97 (a) was Thursday, 19 November, at 1 p.m.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

35th meeting

Report of the United Nations Decade of International Law [128]

Statements were made by the representatives of the Netherlands, Brazil, Oman, Uruguay, Indonesia, Cyprus, Romania, the United States, Mauritania (on behalf of Member States of the Arab Maghreb Union), Moldova, Republic of Korea, Pakistan and Bulgaria.

Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country
[134]

The Outgoing Chairman of the Committee introduced draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.13.

It was announced that Belarus had joined the list of co-sponsors of draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.13.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.13 without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-fourth session [129]

The representative of the Russian Federation spoke.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.14 without a vote.

Statements in explanation of position was made by the representatives of Guinea (on behalf of the Group of African States), Israel, Cuba, the United States, Australia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Sierra Leone, Pakistan, Canada, India, China and the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its Member States).

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [133]

It was announced that Sierra Leone had joined the list of co-sponsors of draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.15.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

AD HOC COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FOR THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS
TO THE PROGRAMME OF THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH
COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES FOR 1993

1st meeting

The President of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Stoyan Ganev (Bulgaria), opened the meeting and made a statement. The Director of the UNHCR New York Office, made a statement.

Statements and announcements regarding pledges were made by the representatives of Switzerland, Norway, Denmark, Holy See, the United States, Japan, China, Turkey, Belgium, Austria, Luxembourg, Sweden, Tunisia, France, Hungary, Indonesia, the United Arab Emirates, the Republic of Korea, Spain, Greece, Italy, Germany, Oman and Pakistan.

The Director of the UNHCR New York Office announced that pledges had also been received from Colombia, Monaco, Iceland and Sri Lanka.

A closing statement was made by the Director of the UNHCR New York Office.

**Convention against Torture or Other Cruel
Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or
Punishment**

COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE
Ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

FRIDAY, 13 NOVEMBER 1992

126th and 127th meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [4]

The Committee considered the initial report of New Zealand (CAT/C/12/Add.2)

In accordance with rule 66 of the rules of procedure, representatives of the reporting state were present at the meetings, introduced the report submitted by their Government and replied to questions raised and observations made by the members of the Committee.

Preparatory activities relating to the World Conference on Human Rights [7]

The Committee also continued its consideration of the item.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Africa Industrialization Day

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WEDNESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER 1992

No. 1992/225

PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 18 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

11 a.m. consultations of the whole
(closed) Consultation Room

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED
BY RESOLUTION 724 (1991) CONCERNING
YUGOSLAVIA

3.30 p.m.- 41st meeting
6 p.m. (closed) Conference Room 7

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

9.30 a.m. 4th meeting Conference Room 4

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items [8]:

- (a) Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by the Russian Federation (A/47/247);
- (b) Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Nicaragua (A/47/248);
- (c) Letter from Afghanistan (A/47/661).

10 a.m.	63rd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	64th PLENARY MEETING	

1. Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]:

- (a) Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);
- (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);
- (c) Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);
- (d) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);
- (e) Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616).

2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]:

- (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);
- (b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.15).

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CLOSURE OF THE LIST OF SPEAKERS

The list of speakers in the debate on agenda items 33 and 34 will be closed *today*, 18 November 1992, at 12 noon.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference Room 6

Open-ended ad hoc working group of the Plenary on agenda item 47 (Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related field) (A/47/534, A/47/627)

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

3.30 p.m.-
6 p.m. 36th meeting Conference Room 3

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

Agenda items [59] (A/47/468, 533; A/C.1/47/L.14); [61] (A/47/27, 42, 77/Corr.1, 79, 85, 89, 92, 93, 96, 181, 183, 225, 312, 313, 314, 316 and Add.1 and 2, 341, 342 and Corr.1, 356, 362, 370 and Add.1, 394, 437, 441, 449, 452, 482, 537, 618; A/C.1/47/L.13/Rev.2); [62] (A/47/27, 96, 301, 347, 359, 391, 469, 511, 564, 568; A/C.1/47/L.2, L.52); [63] (A/47/27, 42, 77, 79, 85, 321, 345, 346, 354, 371 and Add.1, 417, 470 and Corr.1; A/C.1/47/7, A/C.5/47/19; A/C.1/47/L.4, L.48); [67] (A/47/307, 375, 524, 618; A/C.1/47/L.46); [69] (A/47/56, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 81, 82, 88, 89, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 110, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 133, 135, 136, 138, 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 201, 205, 206, 208, 211/Corr.1, 213, 218, 221, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 233, 234, 239, 254, 258, 260, 267, 268, 269, 274, 275, 282, 284, 286, 290, 292, 300, 306, 318, 333, 335, 350, 351, 355, 357, 361, 372, 375, 380, 392, 421, 448, 497, 505 and Add.1, 516, 557, 561 and Corr.1, 570, 571, 572, 577 and Corr.1, 579, 602, 603, 622, 633, 634, 641, 643; A/C.1/47/3, 6; A/C.1/47/L.45/Rev.1, L.47); [105] (A/C.1/47/10, 11)

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 20th meeting Conference Room 2

Questions relating to information [76] (A/SPC/47/L.9 and L.10)

(a) Report of the Committee on Information (A/47/21)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/462)

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 42nd meeting Conference Room 2

1. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.39

2. Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(a) Trade and development

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.30 and L.32

3. Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind [80]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.38

4. Special economic and disaster relief assistance [87]

(b) Special programmes of economic assistance

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.25/Rev.1, L.28, L.36 and L.37

5. Training and research [89]

(a) United Nations Institute for Training and Research

Conclusion of the general discussion

6. Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(b) Food and agricultural development (A/47/19, Supplement No. 19, and Add.1, A/47/395)

Introductory statement and general discussion

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 4

Open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development to consider item 79 (Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development) (A/CONF.151/26(Vols.1-IV), A/CONF.151/26(Vol.II)/Corr.1; A/C.2/47/WG.I/CRP.8 and CRP.9; A/C.2/47/WG.I/10)

THIRD COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 43rd meeting Conference Room 1

1. Human rights [97]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments (A/47/40, A/47/41, A/47/44, A/47/427, A/47/428, A/47/429, A/47/518, A/47/628, A/47/632, A/47/662)

Continuation of general discussion

2. Narcotic drugs [95]

Action on draft proposals A/C.3/47/L.28 to L.33

3. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

(a) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

(b) Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons

(c) Humanitarian questions

Action on draft proposals A/C.3/47/L.27 and L.34 to L.38

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 28th meeting Conference Room 3

1. Personnel Questions [112]

(b) Respect for the privileges and immunities of officials of the United Nations and the specialized agencies and related organizations

Action on draft resolution A/C.5/47/L.2

2. Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

Granting of travel assistance to least developed and other developing countries that are members of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law

(A/C.5/47/CRP.1; A/46/349 and A/47/454 (also agenda item 131))

3. Programme planning [105]

(A/47/3, A/47/6, A/47/16 (Part I) and (Part II) and Add.1 and A/47/32 and Add. 1 (also agenda item 110))

Proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997

Review of major programme I

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 112 (Personnel questions)

8 p.m.-
11 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 124 (Administrative and financial aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on the agenda for development and other matters)

9 a.m.-
10 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room 9

LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN GROUP

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(at the ambassadorial level)
(on restructuring)

6 p.m.-
8 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on UNCED matters)

FIRST COMMITTEE

8 p.m.-
9.30 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 6

The OPEN-ENDED GROUP OF THE FRIENDS OF THE
CHAIRMAN will hold a closed meeting *today*, 18 November
1992, at 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 5.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 19 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.

65th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]:

- (a) Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);
- (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);
- (c) Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);
- (d) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);
- (e) Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616).

2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]:

- (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);
- (b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.15).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

3 p.m.

37th meeting

Conference
Room 3

10 a.m.

21st meeting

Conference
Room 1

SECOND COMMITTEE			SIXTH COMMITTEE		
10 a.m.	43rd meeting	Conference Room 4	10 a.m.	37th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
SECOND COMMITTEE			*		
<i>Informal consultations</i>					
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4	* *		
6 p.m.	closed meeting		ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS		
SECOND COMMITTEE					
<i>Informal consultations</i>					
10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6	* * *		
			SECOND COMMITTEE		
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7	<i>Informal consultations</i>		
			The open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development to consider item 79 (Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development) will hold two meetings on Thursday, 19 November 1992, at 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4.		
THIRD COMMITTEE					
3 p.m.	44th meeting	Conference Room 1	* * *		
			The 192nd meeting of the COMMITTEE ON THE EXERCISE OF THE INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE, which was scheduled to held on Thursday, 19 November 1992, has been postponed to a date to be announced.		
FIFTH COMMITTEE					
10 a.m.	29th meeting	Conference Room 3	*		
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FIFTH COMMITTEE			OTHER MEETINGS		
<i>Informal consultations</i>			The Coordinator for the resolution on the World Food Council and humanitarian issues of the GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77 will hold a meeting on Thursday, 19 November 1992, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B.		
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5			

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Weekly DPI/NGO Briefing

The DPI/NGO briefing on the United Nations Human Development Report will take place on Thursday, 19 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

At 10 a.m., the UNDP video "Choices for the Next Century" will be screened. At 10.30 a.m., the speaker will be Dr. Mahbubul Haq, Special Advisor to the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).

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Parliamentarians for Global Action

The Parliamentarians for Global Action will hold its annual forum "We the Peoples...", a televised dialogue among parliamentarians on the role of the United Nations in the 1990s, on 19 and 20 November 1992 at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The Secretary-General of the United Nations will open the forum on Thursday, 19 November, at 10 a.m. Members of the delegations and Secretariat personnel are welcome to observe. Further information can be obtained from Bernadette Santangelo (Tel.: 687-7755).

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 17 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

62nd plenary meeting

Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);*
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);*
- (c) *Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);*
- (d) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);*
- (e) *Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616)*

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);*
- (b) *Draft resolution (A/47/L.15)*

The General Assembly began its consideration of agenda items 33 and 34.

The Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616).

The Assembly decided to close the list of speakers in the debate on agenda items 33 and 34 at noon on Wednesday, 18 November.

The Chairman of the Special Committee against Apartheid made a statement.

The Rapporteur of the Special Committee against Apartheid introduced the report of the Committee (A/47/22).

The Chairman of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa made a statement.

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/47/L.15.

The Rapporteur of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports made a statement.

The Rapporteur of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of New Zealand, Indonesia and Algeria.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

35th meeting

Action on draft resolution under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

The Committee continued its third phase of work, namely, action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items.

A statement, other than explanation of vote on draft resolution which appeared under Cluster 3, was made by the representative of Togo (who stated that the sponsors had decided not to put the draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.26/Rev.2 to a vote and introduced draft decision A/C.1/47/L.52).

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.34

The Committee adopted operative paragraph 8 of the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 130 to 1, with 4 abstentions.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution as a whole by a recorded vote of 133 to none, with 2 abstentions.

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

19th meeting

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects [75]

The Chairman informed members that the Secretary-General's statement on programme budget implications of draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.7 pertaining to item 75 would be circulated in the course of the day as document A/SPC/47/L.11. He also announced that at the meeting on

Friday, 20 November, the Committee would revert to this item and conclude its consideration thereof by taking action on draft resolutions A/SPC/47/L.7 and A/SPC/47/L.8.

Questions relating to Information [76]

The Chairman announced that the two draft resolutions submitted by the Chairman of the Committee on Information would be circulated in the afternoon as documents A/SPC/47/L.9 and A/SPC/47/L.10.

The Committee began its general debate on item 76 and heard statements by the representatives of Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77), Nepal, Belarus, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the 12 members of the European Community), Denmark (on behalf of the Nordic countries), the Islamic Republic of Iran, Chile and Poland.

The list of speakers on item 76 was closed at the end of the meeting.

SECOND COMMITTEE

41st meeting

Training and research [89]

(a) United Nations Institute for Training and Research

The Committee began its consideration of the sub-item and had before it the report of the Secretary-General (A/47/458) and the report of the Executive Director of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (A/47/14 (Supplement No. 14)).

Introductory statements were made by the Director and Deputy to the Under-Secretary-General, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Public Affairs, and the Acting Executive Director of the United Nations Institute for Training and Research.

The Committee began its general discussion of the sub-item and heard statements by the representatives of Pakistan, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), Cameroon, Algeria, Nigeria, the Russian Federation, Poland, the Philippines, Austria, China, Australia, Greece, the United States, Egypt, Jamaica (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Japan, Ghana, Indonesia and Colombia.

Organization of work

The Committee agreed to take up consideration of agenda item 90 (Strengthening of international cooperation and coordination of efforts to study, mitigate and minimize the consequences of the Chernobyl disaster) on Thursday, 19 November, in the morning, the re-scheduling being due to the late issuance of documentation. Also, in the light of this change, the Committee agreed to begin its consideration of agenda sub-item 78 (b) (Development and international

economic cooperation: food and agricultural development) on Wednesday, 18 November, in the morning.

Corrigendum to the summary of the 39th meeting of the Second Committee (see *Journal* No. 1992/223, p.10): the paragraph under *Extension of deadline* should read

At the request of the representative of Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77), the Committee agreed to extend the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda items 12 (Report of the Economic and Social Council) and 78 (Development and international economic cooperation: questions to be considered under the general heading) to 6 p.m. on Friday, 20 November.

THIRD COMMITTEE

42nd meeting

Human rights questions [97]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

The representative of the United Kingdom made a statement on behalf of the European Community.

The Committee heard an introductory statement by the recipient of the 1992 Nobel Peace Prize, Mrs. Rogoberta Menchu.

Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

(a) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees

(b) Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons

(c) Humanitarian questions

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item in order to introduce the following draft resolutions:

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.36

The representative of Norway, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Bulgaria, Costa Rica and the Philippines, introduced and orally revised the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.37

The representative of Jordan, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as Bangladesh, Italy, Jamaica, Mongolia, Peru, the Sudan and Tunisia, introduced the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.38

The representative of Austria, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as the Central African Republic, Cuba, Finland, Germany, Liberia, Malawi, New Zealand and Sweden, introduced and orally revised the draft resolution.

The representative of Viet Nam made a statement in the exercise of the right of reply.

*Social development [93]**(b) Crime prevention and criminal justice*

The representative of the United Arab Emirates made a statement.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

27th meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [111]

The Committee heard a concluding statement by the Chairman of the Committee on Contributions, who responded to questions raised during the general debate. The representative of Ukraine made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded the general debate on this item.

*United Nations common system [113]**United Nations pension system [114]*

The Chairman made a statement concerning the consideration of agenda items 113 and 114.

The Committee then began the general debate on these items and heard a statement by the representative of Japan.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

36th meeting

United Nations Decade of International Law [128]

Statements were made by the representatives of Malta, the United Arab Emirates, Greece, Malaysia, Canada (also on behalf of Australia and New Zealand), Cuba, Nigeria, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Singapore and Poland.

The representative of the International Committee of the Red Cross and the Secretary-General of the Permanent Court of Arbitration made statements as observers.

The Committee thus concluded its debate on the item.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

**Convention against Torture or Other Cruel
Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or
Punishment**

COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE
Ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

MONDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 1992

128th and 129th meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [4]

The Committee considered the initial report of Germany (CAT/C/12/Add.1).

In accordance with rule 66 of the rules of procedure, representatives of the reporting state were present at the meetings, introduced the report submitted by their Government and replied to questions raised and observations made by the members of the Committee.

Consideration of information received under article 20 of the convention [5]

The Committee also continued its consideration of the item in closed session.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

*United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic
Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, concluded at Vienna on
20 December 1988*

*Ratification: Australia (16 November 1992)**

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents

ANNOUNCEMENTS

New United Nations stamps and annual collection folders

On Friday, 20 November 1992, the United Nations Postal Administration will issue the fourth group of six stamps commemorating "The Universal Declaration of Human Rights". The stamps will be issued in the United States, Swiss and Austrian denominations of 29 cents and 50 cents, F.s. 0,90 and S 6 and S 10. The 1992 annual collection folders will also be issued on Friday, 20 November.

Details about the new stamps and annual collection folders can be found in circular ST/IC/1992/64 dated 29 October 1992. The new stamps and hand cancellations may be obtained by staff members at the north end of the Secretariat Lobby from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on 20 November 1992.

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Africa Industrialization Day

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 19 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

11 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room
3 p.m.	3137th meeting	Security Council Chamber

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	65th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	66th PLENARY MEETING	

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Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 21st meeting Conference Room 1

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(a) Report of the Committee on Information (A/47/21)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/462)

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 43rd meeting Conference Room 4

1. Strengthening of international cooperation and coordination of efforts to study, mitigate and minimize the consequences of the Chernobyl disaster [90]

(A/47/132, A/47/322-E/1992/102 and Add.1 and 2, A/47/375-S/24429)

Introductory statement and general discussion

2. Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(b) Food and agricultural development (A/47/19, Supplement No. 19, and Add.1, A/47/395)

Conclusion of general discussion

3. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.29, L.40 and L.42

4. Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(a) Trade and development

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.35

5. Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind [80]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.38/Rev.1

6. International cooperation and assistance to alleviate the consequences of war in Croatia and to facilitate its recovery [144]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.41

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 7

Informal consultations on prevention and control of AIDS (non-paper); and draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.39 (item 12); A/C.2/47/L.28 (item 87 (b)); A/C.2/47/L.30 and L.32 (item 78 (a)); A/C.2/47/L.25/Rev.1, L.36 and L.37 (item 87 (b))

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

6 p.m.-
9 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 4

Open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (A/CONF.151/26(Vols.I-IV), A/CONF.151/26(Vol.II)/Corr.1; A/C.2/47/WG.I/CRP.10)

THIRD COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 44th meeting Conference Room 1

Human rights [97]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments (A/47/40, A/47/41, A/47/44, A/47/427, A/47/428, A/47/429, A/47/518, A/47/628, A/47/632, A/47/662, A/47/667)

Continuation of general discussion

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 29th meeting Conference
Room 3

1. United Nations common system [113]

(A/47/30; A/C.5/47/25 (also agenda item 114); A/C.5/47/36, A/C.5/47/37 (also agenda item 104) and A/C.5/47/38)

United Nations pension system [114]

(A/47/9, A/47/578, A/C.5/47/8 and A/C.5/47/25 (also agenda item 113))

Continuation of the general debate

2. Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.1/Rev.2 on agenda item 60 (Chemical and bacteriological (biological) weapons)

(A/C.5/47/49)

3. Programme planning [105]

(A/47/3, A/47/6, A/47/16 (Part I) and (Part II) and Add.1, A/47/32 and Add. 1 (also agenda item 110) and A/C.5/47/46)

Proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997

Review of major programmes III and IV

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda items 103 (Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations) and 104 (Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 (Revised estimates: Restructuring of the Secretariat))

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 37th meeting Trusteeship Council
Chamber

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [133] (A/C.6/47/L.15 and L.17)

United Nations Decade of International Law [128] (A/C.6/47/L.16)

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131] (A/C.6/47/L.4/Rev.1)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 10

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Room S-3361

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(coordination on the World Food
Council resolution)

10 a.m.-
11 a.m. closed meeting Conference
Room B

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(*coordination on special humanitarian
issues*)

11 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room B

NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES OF THE
FIRST COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 3

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ARAB GROUP OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

11 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 9

Parliamentarians for Global Action

The Parliamentarians for Global Action will hold the first session of its annual forum "We the Peoples...", a televised dialogue among parliamentarians on the role of the United Nations in the 1990s, *today*, 19 November 1992, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. This session will focus on Agenda 21, specifically on the issues of climate change and deforestation. At 10 a.m., the Secretary-General of the United Nations will open the forum. All visiting parliamentarians are welcome to participate. Members of the delegations and Secretariat personnel are welcome to observe. Further information can be obtained from Bernadette Santangelo (Tel.: 687-7755).

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(*coordination on industrial development
resolution*)

1 p.m.-
2 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 6

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ASIAN GROUP OF THE THIRD COMMITTEE

2.30 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room C

Workshop

THE WORKSHOP ON THE PROMOTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN HAITI, co-sponsored by the United Nations Centre for Human Rights and the Organization of American States and organized by the Permanent Mission of Haiti to the United Nations, will be held *today*, 19 November 1992, from 9.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

AFRICAN GROUP: WORKING GROUP ON
ECONOMIC MATTERS

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council
Chamber

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Weekly DPI/NGO Briefing

The DPI/NGO briefing on the United Nations Human Development Report will take place *today*, 19 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(*on special humanitarian issues and
UNCED matters*)

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 4

At 10 a.m., the UNDP video "Choices for the Next Century" will be screened. At 10.30 a.m., the speaker will be Dr. Mahbulul Haq, Special Advisor to the Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP).

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Friday, 20 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

9.30 a.m. 5th meeting Conference Room 4

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portugal, Spain, Uruguay and Venezuela (A/47/249) [8].

10 a.m. 67th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations: report of the Secretary-General (A/47/595) [37].

3 p.m. 68th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: fourth and fifth reports of the General Committee (A/47/250/Add.3 and 4*) [8].
2. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations: report of the Secretary-General (A/47/595) [37].

* To be issued.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10.30 a.m. 37th meeting Conference Room 3

3.30 p.m. 38th meeting

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 8

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 22nd meeting Conference Room 2

3 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference Room 4

6 p.m.

closed meeting

3 p.m. 23rd meeting

THIRD COMMITTEE

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10 a.m. 45th meeting Conference Room 1

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m. closed meeting
3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5
6 p.m. closed meeting

The open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development to consider item 79 (Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development) will meet again on Friday, 20 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m. closed meeting
3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

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The next meeting of the open-ended ad hoc working group of the Plenary on agenda item 47 (Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related field) will be convened by H.E. Mr. Ramiro Piriz-Ballon (Uruguay) on Friday, 20 November 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 6.

SECURITY COUNCIL

The 102nd (closed) meeting of the SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED BY RESOLUTION 421 (1977) CONCERNING THE QUESTION OF SOUTH AFRICA will be held on Friday, 20 November 1992, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 7.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 18 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

4th meeting

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items [8]

- (a) *Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by the Russian Federation (A/47/247)*
- (b) *Request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Nicaragua (A/47/248)*
- (c) *Letter from Afghanistan (A/47/661)*

The General Committee considered a request by the Russian Federation for the inclusion of an additional item (A/47/247).

The General Committee decided to revise the title of the item to read "The situation of human rights in Estonia and Latvia".

The General Committee decided to recommend the inclusion of this additional item (as revised) in the agenda of the current session and its allocation to the Third Committee.

The General Committee considered a request by Nicaragua for the inclusion of an additional item entitled "International assistance for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Nicaragua: aftermath of the war and of natural disasters" (A/47/248).

The General Committee decided to recommend the inclusion of this additional item in the agenda of the current session

The Committee decided to recommend that the item be considered directly in plenary meeting and that it be given priority because of its urgent character.

The General Committee considered a request by Afghanistan that agenda item 141 (Emergency international assistance for the reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan) be considered directly in plenary meeting and not in the Second Committee (A/47/661).

The General Committee decided, under rule 123 of the rules of procedure, to reconsider the question of the allocation of agenda item 141.

The General Committee then decided to recommend that agenda item 141 be considered directly in plenary meeting.

The President announced that the actions taken at the meeting would be considered by the Assembly on Friday, 20 November, in the afternoon, as the first item.

63rd plenary meeting

Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);*
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);*
- (c) *Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);*
- (d) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);*
- (e) *Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616)*

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);*
- (b) *Draft resolution (A/47/L.15)*

Statements were made by the representatives of Turkey, Lesotho, Malaysia, China, Austria, Sri Lanka, Botswana, Bahrain, Ghana, the United States, Egypt, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its member States) and Argentina.

In accordance with the decision taken by the General Assembly at its 3rd plenary meeting, on 18 September 1992, the representative of the African National Congress of South Africa made a statement.

64th plenary meeting

Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);*
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);*

(c) *Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);*

(d) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);*

(e) *Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616)*

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/47/L.15)*

Statements were made by the representatives of Hungary, Australia, Mauritania, the Russian Federation, the Czechoslovakia, Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the States members of the Caribbean Community), India, Singapore, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Japan, the United Republic of Tanzania, Israel, Zimbabwe and Cyprus.

In accordance with the decision taken at the 3rd plenary meeting, on 18 September 1992, the President of the Pan Africanist Congress of Azania made a statement.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

36th meeting

Action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142)

The Committee continued its third phase of work, namely, action on draft resolutions under all disarmament agenda items.

In explanation of vote before the vote on draft resolution which appeared under Cluster 2, statement was made by the representative of Saudi Arabia.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.14

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

In explanation of position after the decision, statements were made by the representatives of Norway and the United Kingdom.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.2

The Committee adopted the draft resolution which appeared under Cluster 3 by a recorded vote of 132 to 1, with 2 abstentions.

Draft decision A/C.1/47/L.52

The Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote.

In explanation of position after the decision, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, the United Kingdom and Mauritania.

Draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.13/Rev.2

The Committee adopted the draft resolution which appeared under Cluster 4 without a vote.

In explanation of position after the decision, statements were made by the representatives of Australia, Sweden, the United Kingdom, the United States and Canada.

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

20th meeting

Programme Planning [105]

The Chairman informed members of the Committee that upon expiration yesterday, 17 November, of the deadline for submission in writing of comments on revised programmes 1, 2, 4 to 6, 8, 35, 36 and 38 of the medium-term plan 1992-1997, the Chair had received communications from Brazil, China, Colombia, Cuba, the United Kingdom (on behalf of the 12 members of the European Community) and the United States. Upon the proposal of the Chairman, it was decided that he should send a letter to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee, transmitting all of the communications received, and that the Chairman's letter, together with its attachments, should be circulated as a document of the Special Political Committee.

Questions Relating to Information [76]

The Committee continued its consideration of item 76 and heard statements by the representatives of the Congo, Afghanistan, Côte d'Ivoire, Brazil, the United Republic of Tanzania, Nigeria, the United States, Senegal and Ecuador.

SECOND COMMITTEE

42nd meeting

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.39

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and the representative of Belgium introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document as well as Lesotho and the Philippines.

Development and international economic cooperation [78]

*(a) Trade and development**Draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.30 and L.32*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item and the representative of Pakistan introduced the two draft resolutions on behalf of the Group of 77.

*Special economic and disaster relief assistance [87]**(b) Special programmes of economic assistance**Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.25/Rev.1*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item and the representative of Costa Rica introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors as listed in the document.

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.28

The representative of Algeria introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document as well as Algeria, Angola, Bangladesh, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, the Central African Republic, the Congo, Côte d'Ivoire, Cuba, Djibouti, Egypt, El Salvador, Kuwait, Lesotho, Mali, Guinea-Bissau, Mauritania, Mozambique, Nigeria, Suriname, Togo and Yemen.

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.36

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document and Singapore.

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.37

The representative of Antigua and Barbuda introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document as well as Argentina, Australia, Bangladesh, Benin, Brazil, Cape Verde, China, Comoros, Cyprus, Djibouti, Fiji, Grenada, Guinea-Bissau, Jamaica, Lesotho, the Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Namibia, New Zealand, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, the Philippines, Suriname, Swaziland, Uganda, Venezuela and Zimbabwe.

*Training and research [89]**(a) United Nations Institute for Training and Research*

The Committee continued its general discussion of the sub-item and heard a statement by the representative of Sweden.

The Director and Deputy to the Under-Secretary-General, Special Representative of the Secretary-General, for Public Affairs made concluding remarks.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of sub-item 89 (a) and of agenda item 89 as a whole.

*Development and international economic cooperation [78]**(b) Food and agricultural development*

The Committee began its consideration of the sub-item and had before it documents as listed in the Journal.

H.E. Mr. Anatoliy N. Lifanchikov, Vice-President of the World Food Council and Deputy Minister for Economy of the Russian Federation, made a statement.

The Committee began its general discussion of the item and statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its member States), the Islamic Republic of Iran, Algeria, Canada, Bangladesh, Ukraine and China.

The representative of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations made a statement.

Extension of deadlines

The Committee agreed to the following extensions of deadlines for submission of draft proposals to 6 p.m. on Monday, 23 November: (a) At the request of Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77), under agenda item 81; (b) at the request of the Sudan under agenda item 87; and (c) at the request of Nigeria under agenda item 89 (a).

THIRD COMMITTEE

43rd meeting

*Reports of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]**(a) Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees**(b) Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons**(c) Humanitarian questions*

The representative of Thailand made a statement in the exercise of the right of reply.

*Human rights questions [97]**(a) Implementation of human rights instruments*

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

The representatives of Slovenia, Paraguay, the Netherlands and Indonesia made statements.

Narcotic drugs [95]

The Committee resumed its consideration of agenda item 95 in order to take action on draft resolutions

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.28

Belize, Guinea Bissau, India, Myanmar, Nigeria and the Russian Federation joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.29

Myanmar and the Philippines joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution

The representative of Cuba made a statement before the adoption of the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.4/47/L.30

Egypt, the Philippines, the Russian Federation and Ukraine joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of Colombia orally revised the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution as orally revised.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.31

Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Egypt, Guinea Bissau, Italy, Myanmar and Samoa joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of Cuba made a statement before the adoption of the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.32

Australia, Belize, Côte d'Ivoire, Egypt, Nigeria, Nicaragua, Norway, the Russian Federation, Samoa and Uruguay joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of Chad made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.33

Antigua and Barbuda, Côte d'Ivoire, Haiti, India, Madagascar, Nigeria, St. Kitts and Nevis, Uganda and Ukraine joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of Bolivia orally revised the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution as orally revised.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Reports of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [96]

(a) *Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees*

(b) *Questions relating to refugees and displaced persons*

(c) *Humanitarian questions*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item in order to take action on draft resolutions.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.27

Belgium, Colombia, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Egypt, Morocco and Nigeria joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.34

Afghanistan, Azerbaijan, Belize, Bulgaria, Chile, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Haiti, Honduras, Liechtenstein, Malaysia, Morocco, Namibia, Samoa and Uruguay joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft decision A/C.3/47/L.35

The Chairman orally revised his draft decision.

The Committee adopted the draft decision as orally revised.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.36

Afghanistan, Albania, Azerbaijan, Belize, Burundi, Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Guinea Bissau, Haiti, Namibia, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Samoa, the United Republic of Tanzania and Togo joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.37

Cyprus, Djibouti, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mauritania, Nigeria, Oman, the Philippines and Togo joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of Algeria and Barbados made statements before the adoption of the draft resolution.

The representative of the United States made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.38

Afghanistan, Angola, Benin, Burundi, Cameroon, Canada, Côte d'Ivoire, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, Ghana, Greece, Guatemala, Guinea, Haiti, Honduras, Iceland, India, Luxembourg, Nigeria, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Samoa, Sierra Leone, Togo and Uganda joined in co-sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of Djibouti made a statement.

The representative of Austria orally revised the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution as orally revised.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Organization of work

The Chairman reminded the Committee that the deadline for the submission of draft proposals under item 97 (a) was extended until Thursday, 19 November, at 6 p.m.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

28th meeting

Personnel questions [112]

- (b) *Respect for the privileges and immunities of officials of the United Nations and the specialized agencies and related organizations*

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item and heard a statement by the representative of the Netherlands, who introduced draft resolution A/C.5/47/L.2.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/47/L.2, without objection.

The Director of Personnel made a statement. The Chairman announced that the Committee would revert to the consideration of agenda item 112, following informal consultations.

Programme planning [105]

Proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997

Major programme I: Maintenance of peace and security, disarmament and decolonization

The Committee continued its consideration of major programme I and heard statements by the representatives of Cuba, the United States, Uganda, the United Kingdom, Canada, Norway, Belgium, Japan, Nigeria, Nepal, Bulgaria and Pakistan.

The representatives of Cuba, the United Kingdom, Morocco, Tunisia, Argentina, Austria, Mexico and the United States, as well as the Chairman, spoke on points of procedure.

The Acting Controller replied to questions raised during the debate.

Decisions on major programme I

The Committee approved, without objection, the recommendations made by the Committee for Programme and Coordination in paragraphs 42, 58 and 70 of its report (A/47/16 (Part II)) concerning programmes 3, 5 and 8 respectively.

The Committee also decided to consider further in informal consultations programmes 1, 2, 4, 6 and 7.

Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

Travel assistance to least developed countries and other developing countries that are members of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law

The Committee continued its consideration of this item and heard a statement by the Chairman regarding informal consultations in this respect.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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Convention against Torture or Other Cruel Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment

COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE

Ninth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

TUESDAY, 16 NOVEMBER 1992

130th and 131st meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [4]

The Committee considered the additional report of Libyan Arab Jamahiriya (CAT/C/9/Add.12). It concluded its consideration of the periodic report of Mexico (CAT/C/17/Add.3).

In accordance with rule 66 of rules of procedure, representatives of the reporting states were present at the meetings, introduced the reports submitted by their Governments and replied to questions raised and observations made by the members of the Committee.

Submission of reports by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [3]

The Committee concluded its consideration of the item.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meeting

Thursday, 19 November 1992

STAFF COUNCIL

1.15 p.m.- 2.30 p.m.	(open to staff members only)	Conference Room 5
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New United Nations stamps and annual collection folders

On Friday, 20 November 1992, the United Nations Postal Administration will issue the fourth group of six stamps commemorating "The Universal Declaration of Human Rights". The stamps will be issued in the United States, Swiss and Austrian denominations of 29 cents and 50 cents, F.s. 0,90 and S 6 and S 10. The 1992 annual collection folders will also be issued on Friday, 20 November.

Details about the new stamps and annual collection folders can be found in circular ST/IC/1992/64 dated 29 October 1992. The new stamps and hand cancellations may be obtained by staff members at the north end of the Secretariat Lobby from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on 20 November 1992.

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Africa Industrialization Day

In commemoration of Africa Industrialization Day, there will be a screening of a UNIDO video entitled "Building the future" on Friday, 20 November 1992, at 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C.

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 20 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

3 p.m.

consultations of the whole
(closed)

Consultation Room

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED
BY RESOLUTION 421 (1977) CONCERNING THE
QUESTION OF SOUTH AFRICA

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m.

102nd meeting
(closed)

Conference Room 7

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

9.30 a.m.

5th meeting

Conference Room 4

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Portugal, Spain, Uruguay and Venezuela (A/47/249) [8].

10 a.m.

67th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations: report of the Secretary-General (A/47/595) [37].

3 p.m.

68th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: fourth report of the General Committee (A/47/250/Add.3) [8].
2. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations: report of the Secretary-General (A/47/595) [37].

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference Room 6

Open-ended ad hoc working group of the Plenary on agenda item 47 (Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related field) (A/47/534, A/47/627)

Committees**FIRST COMMITTEE***Meeting of the officers*

10.30 a.m.-
11 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room B

2. Questions relating to information [76] (A/SPC/47/L.9, L.10* and L.13)

(a) Report of the Committee on Information (A/47/21)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/462 and Corr.1)

FIRST COMMITTEE

11 a.m.-
1 p.m.

37th meeting

Conference
Room 3

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

23rd meeting

Conference
Room 2

Questions relating to information [76] (A/SPC/47/L.9, L.10* and L.13)

(a) Report of the Committee on Information (A/47/21)

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/462 and Corr.1)

Action on draft resolutions under disarmament agenda item 63 and international security items 67 and 69

Agenda items [63] (A/47/27, 42, 77, 79, 85, 321, 345, 346, 354, 371 and Add.1, 417, 470 and Corr.1; A/C.1/47/7, A/C.5/47/19; A/C.1/47/L.4, L.48); [67] (A/47/307, 375, 524, 618; A/C.1/47/L.46/Rev.1); [69] (A/47/56, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 81, 82, 88, 89, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 110, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 133, 135, 136, 138, 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 201, 205, 206, 208, 211/Corr.1, 213, 218, 221, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 233, 234, 239, 254, 258, 260, 267, 268, 269, 274, 275, 282, 284, 286, 290, 292, 300, 306, 318, 333, 335, 350, 351, 355, 357, 361, 372, 375, 380, 392, 421, 448, 497, 505 and Add.1, 516, 557, 561 and Corr.1, 570, 571, 572, 577 and Corr.1, 579, 602, 603, 622, 633, 634, 641, 643; A/C.1/47/3, 6; A/C.1/47/L.45/Rev.1, L.47/Rev.1);

SECOND COMMITTEE*Informal consultations*

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 8

Informal consultations on the draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.7/Rev.1 (item 78 (e)); A/C.2/47/L.12 (item 78); A/C.2/47/L.16 (item 82); A/C.2/47/L.9 (item 84); A/C.2/47/L.14 (item 85); and A/C.2/47/L.27 (item 86)

SECOND COMMITTEE**SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE**

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

22nd meeting

Conference
Room 2

3 p.m.

44th meeting

Conference
Room 4

1. Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects [75] (A/SPC/47/L.7, L.8 and L.11)

1. Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(b) Food and agricultural development (A/47/19, Supplement No. 19, and Add.1, A/47/395)

Conclusion of general discussion

2. Training and research [89]

(a) United Nations University

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.43

3. International cooperation and assistance to alleviate the consequences of war in Croatia and to facilitate its recovery [144]

*Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.41*3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 102 (Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors)

6.30 p.m.-
9.30 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 110 (Pattern of conferences)

SECOND COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*Afternoon*-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 4

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Open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (A/CONF.151/26(Vols.I-IV), A/CONF.151/26(Vol.II)/Corr.1; A/C.2/47/WG.I/CRP.10)

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 103 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 10

* Following the adjournment of the 44th meeting of the Second Committee.

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

45th meeting

Conference
Room 1

Human rights [97]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments (A/47/40, A/47/41, A/47/44, A/47/427, A/47/428, A/47/429, A/47/518, A/47/628, A/47/632, A/47/662, A/47/667)

Conclusion of general discussion

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Room S-3361

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Room S-3361

FIFTH COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 112 (Personnel questions)

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on agenda for development)

9 a.m.

closed meeting

Trusteeship Council
Chamber

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(on agenda for development)

Morning*-
10 a.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council
Chamber

* Following the adjournment of the meeting of the Group of 27.

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on eradication of poverty, food,
agriculture and other matters)

6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 7

LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN GROUP

10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 4

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(on eradication of poverty, food
agriculture and other matters)

Evening*-
8 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 7

* Following the adjournment of the meeting of the Group of 27.

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 1

Parliamentarians for Global Action

The Parliamentarians for Global Action will hold the second session of its annual forum "We the Peoples...", a televised dialogue among parliamentarians on the role of the United Nations in the 1990s, *today*, 20 November 1992, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. This session will focus on the Agenda for Peace and how the international community can strengthen the security arm of the United Nations (case studies: Iraq/Kuwait, Yugoslavia and Somalia). All visiting parliamentarians are welcome to participate. Members of the delegations and Secretariat personnel are welcome to observe. Further information can be obtained from Bernadette Santangelo (Tel.: 687-7755).

AFRICAN GROUP: WORKING GROUP ON
ECONOMIC MATTERS

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 7

MEETING OF THE HIGH LEVEL WORKING GROUP
OF THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES FOR THE
RESTRUCTURING OF THE UNITED NATIONS

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council
Chamber

Workshop

The WORKSHOP ON THE PROMOTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN HAITI, co-sponsored by the United Nations Centre for Human Rights and the Organization of American States and organized by the Permanent Mission of Haiti to the United Nations, will be held *today*, 20 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 8 and from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

ARAB GROUP OF THE WHOLE
(at the ambassadorial level)

3.30 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 6

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS*Saturday, 21 November 1992***GENERAL ASSEMBLY***Forty-seventh session***Committees****SECOND COMMITTEE***Informal consultations*

10 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 2

Open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development to consider item 79 (Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development)

*Monday, 23 November 1992***GENERAL ASSEMBLY***Forty-seventh session*

3 p.m.

69th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of the Islamic Conference [25]:
 - (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/450 and Add.1);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.21*).
2. Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council [40].
3. The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti: report of the Secretary-General (A/47/599 and Corr.1 and Add.1) [22].
4. Adoption of the agenda of the forty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: fifth report of the General Committee (A/47/250/Add.4)* [8].

* To be issued.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 39th meeting
3 p.m. 40th meeting
Conference Room 4

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations
3 p.m. closed meeting
6.30 p.m. closed meeting
Conference Room 5

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 24th meeting
3 p.m. 25th meeting
Conference Room 2

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 38th meeting
3 p.m. 39th meeting
Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m. closed meeting
Conference Room 10

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SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations
10 a.m. closed meeting
3 p.m. closed meeting
Conference Room 6

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

The open-ended ad hoc working group on the follow-up to the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development to consider item 79 (Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development) will meet again on Saturday, 21 November 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 2.

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SECOND COMMITTEE

The drafting group on operational activities of the United Nations system (item 83) will meet on Monday, 23 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3.

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THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 46th meeting
Conference Room 1

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 30th meeting
Conference Room 3

There will be a closed meeting of the INTERGOVERNMENTAL GROUP TO MONITOR THE SUPPLY AND SHIPPING OF OIL AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS TO SOUTH AFRICA will be held on Monday, 23 November 1992, at 10.30 a.m. in Room S-S-3560F.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 19 November 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

3138th meeting

The situation in Liberia

Letter dated 28 October 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Benin to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24735)

Letter dated 18 November 1992 from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Liberia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24825)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Benin, Côte d'Ivoire, Egypt, the Gambia, Nigeria, Togo, Liberia, Burkina Faso, Ghana, Guinea, Mauritius, Senegal and Sierra Leone, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard statements by the Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Benin and the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of Liberia, Côte d'Ivoire, Burkina Faso and Nigeria.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/24827) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

Statements were made by the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Togo, the representative of Sierra Leone, the Minister of the Interior of the Gambia, the representative of Guinea and the representative of Senegal, speaking on behalf of the current Chairman of the Organization of African Unity.

The Security Council heard statements by the representatives of Zimbabwe, the Russian Federation, Cape Verde, China, the United States, France, the United Kingdom, Ecuador, Japan, Venezuela, India and Morocco.

Statements were made by the representative of Mauritius, in his capacity as Chairman of the African Group for the month of November, and by the representative of Egypt.

The Council then proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/24827).

Decision: The draft resolution (S/24827) received 15 votes in favour and was adopted unanimously as resolution 788 (1992).

The Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Benin made a further statement.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

65th plenary meeting

Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/47/22);*
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/47/43);*
- (c) *Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports (A/47/45);*
- (d) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);*
- (e) *Report of the Special Political Committee (A/47/616)*

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/513);*
- (b) *Draft resolution (A/47/L.15)*

The Assembly heard statements by the representatives of Chile, Norway, Viet Nam, Madagascar, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Pakistan, Namibia, the Philippines, Nepal, Poland, Belarus, Tunisia, Zambia and Nicaragua.

In accordance with General Assembly resolutions 3237 (XXIX) of 22 November 1974 and 43/177 of 15 December 1988 the observer of Palestine made a statement.

Programme of work

The President informed the members of the following schedule:

<i>Monday, 23 November afternoon</i>	Cooperation between the United Nations Organization of the Islamic Conference [25]
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Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council [40]

	The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti [22]
Wednesday, 25 November morning	Complete withdrawal of foreign military forces from the territories of the Baltic States [139]
	Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]
Monday, 30 November morning	Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of African Unity [27]
Tuesday, 8 December morning	The situation in Central America: firm and lasting peace and progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development [36]
	Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995 [48]
Thursday, 10 December morning	Human rights questions: opening ceremonies for the International Year for the World's Indigenous People [97]
afternoon	Law of the sea [32]

The President informed the Assembly that the list of speakers for all these items was open.

66th plenary meeting

Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid* (A/47/22);
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa* (A/47/43);
- (c) *Report of the Commission against Apartheid in Sports* (A/47/45);
- (d) *Reports of the Secretary-General* (A/47/525, A/47/559, A/47/574);
- (e) *Report of the Special Political Committee* (A/47/616)

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General* (A/47/513);
- (b) *Draft resolution* (A/47/L.15)

The Assembly continued its consideration of agenda items 33 and 34.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Gambia, Cuba, Canada, Morocco, the Syrian Arab Republic, Mozambique, Sierra Leone, Brazil, Ukraine, Afghanistan, Angola, Haiti, the United Arab Emirates, Uganda and Bangladesh.

The President informed members that draft resolution A/47/L.15 and draft resolutions to be submitted under these items would be considered at a later date to be announced in the *Journal*.

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

21st meeting

Programme planning [105]

The Chairman informed the Committee that the letter from the Chairman of the Special Political Committee to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee on item 105 has been circulated in document A/SPC/47/L.12.

Questions relating to information [76]

The Chairman drew attention to document A/SPC/47/4.

The Committee continued its consideration of item 76 and heard statements by the representatives of Argentina, Kazakhstan, Cuba, India, Yemen, Romania, Myanmar, China, Indonesia, Czechoslovakia and Mexico.

The representatives of the United States and Cuba made statements in exercise of the right of reply.

Organization of work

The Chairman announced that on Friday, 20 November, the Committee would hold one meeting in the morning and one in the afternoon. At the morning meeting, the Committee would first revert to item 75 (Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects), and conclude its consideration of that item by taking action on draft resolutions contained in documents A/SPC/47/L.7 and L.8. The Committee would then continue its general debate on item 76 (Questions relating to information) and also hear concluding statements by the Under-Secretary-General for Public Information and by the Director of the Liaison Office of UNESCO. It was expected that the Secretary-General's statement on the programme budget implications of

draft resolution A/SPC/47/L.10 would be available in the morning on 20 November 1992. Upon circulation of that statement in the morning, if members of the Committee were in a position to conclude consideration of item 76, by taking action on the two draft resolutions, as well as the draft decision in paragraph 80 of the Report of the Committee on Information (A/47/21), at the end of the afternoon meeting, the Committee would proceed accordingly. Otherwise action on the draft resolutions and the draft decision would have to be deferred.

SECOND COMMITTEE

43rd meeting

Strengthening of international cooperation and coordination of efforts to study, mitigate and minimize the consequences of the Chernobyl disaster [90]

The Committee began consideration of agenda item 90 and had before it the report of the Secretary-General (A/47/322-E/1992/102 and Add.1 and 2).

The United Nations Coordinator of International Cooperation for Chernobyl made an introductory statement.

The Committee began its general discussion of the item and statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its member states), Belarus, the Russian Federation, Ukraine and Japan.

The representatives of the World Health Organization, the International Atomic Energy Agency and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization made statements.

The United Nations Coordinator of International Cooperation for Chernobyl made concluding remarks.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of agenda item 90.

Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(b) *Food and agricultural development*

The Committee continued its general discussion of the sub-item and statements were made by the representatives of Guinea-Bissau, the United Republic of Tanzania, Lesotho and the United States.

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.29

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and the representative of Malaysia introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document as well as Djibouti, Indonesia, Kuwait, Malaysia, Pakistan and Yemen.

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.40

The representative of Pakistan introduced the draft resolution on behalf of China, Japan and the Group of 77.

Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.42

The representative of Pakistan introduced the draft resolution on behalf of China, Japan and the Group of 77.

Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(a) *Trade and development**Draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.35*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item and the representative of Estonia introduced the draft resolution on behalf of the sponsors as listed in the document as well as Azerbaijan and Turkey.

Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind [80]

Revised draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.38/Rev.1

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and the representative of Pakistan introduced the revised draft resolution on behalf of the Group of 77.

Additional cosponsorship

The representative of the United Arab Emirates informed the Committee that his delegation had joined the sponsors of draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.29.

Extension of deadlines

The Committee agreed to extend the deadlines for submission of draft proposals under agenda items 90 and 78 (b) to 6 p.m. on Wednesday, 25 November.

THIRD COMMITTEE

44th meeting

Human rights questions [97]

(a) *Implementation of human rights instruments*

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

The representatives of Bulgaria, Chile, China, the Republic of Korea, Czechoslovakia, Estonia (on behalf of the Baltic States) and Nicaragua made statements.

Organization of work

The Committee decided to extend the deadline for the submission of the draft resolution concerning the World Social Summit, under item 94, until 25 November at 6 p.m.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

29th meeting

United Nations common system [113]

United Nations pension system [114]

The Committee continued the general debate on these items and heard statements by the representatives of Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Tunisia, the Philippines, the Russian Federation, Australia (on behalf also of Canada and New Zealand), the United Kingdom (on behalf of the members of the European Community) and Argentina (on behalf of the Rio Group).

Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.1/Rev.2 on agenda item 60 (Chemical and bacteriological (biological) weapons)

The Chairman made a statement regarding the report of the Advisory Committee on this item.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform the General Assembly that the adoption of draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.1/Rev.2 would constitute an exception to the established practice and would require the Assembly to authorize the Secretary-General to provide services to the Preparatory Commission in an amount not to exceed \$626,600, to be reimbursed to the United Nations on a priority basis before 15 April 1993.

Programme planning [105]

Proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997

Statements were made by the representative of Israel and by the Chairman.

Major programme III: International cooperation for economic and social development

Decision on major programme III

The Committee approved, without objection, the recommendations of the Committee for Programme and Coordination in its report (A/47/16 (Part II)) concerning programmes 11 and 45.

Major programme IV: International economic cooperation for development

Statements were made by the representatives of Argentina, the United Kingdom, Canada, Brazil, Yemen, Oman, Spain, Tunisia and Japan.

The Chairman of the Committee for Programme and Coordination, the Acting Controller and the Chairman of the Committee replied to questions raised by delegations.

Decisions on major programme IV

The Committee approved, without objection, the recommendations of the Committee for Programme and Coordination in its report (A/47/16 (Part II)) concerning programmes 12 to 15 and 17 to 24, on the understanding that the Committee would consider further in informal consultations programmes 15 and 23.

The Committee also approved the revisions to programme 16 as contained in documents A/47/6 (Prog. 16) and A/C.5/47/46, section B.

Organization of work

Statements were made by the Chairman and the representative of Canada.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

37th meeting

Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [133]

The representative of Egypt introduced draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.15.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.15 without a vote.

The representatives of Mexico, the Russian Federation and India spoke.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this item.

United Nations Decade of International Law [128]

The Chairman of the Working Group on the United Nations Decade of International Law introduced draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.16.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.16 without a vote.

The representatives of Belarus, Ethiopia, Mongolia and the Russian Federation spoke.

The Committee postponed the conclusion of its consideration of this item.

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-fifth session [131]

The representative of Austria introduced draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.4/Rev.1.

The representative of Belarus spoke.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.6/47/L.4/Rev.1 without a vote.

The representative of Canada made a statement in explanation of position after the adoption of the draft resolution.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of this item.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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**Convention against Torture or Other Cruel
Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or
Punishment**

COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE
Ninth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

WEDNESDAY, 18 NOVEMBER 1992

132nd and 133rd meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [4]

The Committee considered the initial report of the United Kingdom dependent territories (CAT/C/9/Add.10) and the periodic report of Belarus (CAT/C/17/Add.6).

In accordance with rule 66 of rules of procedure, representatives of the reporting states were present at the meetings, introduced the reports submitted by their Governments and replied to questions raised and observations made by the members of the Committee.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC

**[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]**

*Convention on the Territorial Sea and the Contiguous Zone,
done at Geneva on 29 April 1958*

*Accession: Latvia (17 November 1992)**

Convention on the High Seas, done at Geneva on 29 April 1958

*Accession: Latvia (17 November 1992)**

*Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements
of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal, concluded at Basel
on 22 March 1989*

*Ratification: United Arab Emirates (17 November 1992)**

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*New United Nations stamps and annual
collection folders*

Today, 20 November 1992, the United Nations Postal Administration will issue the fourth group of six stamps commemorating "The Universal Declaration of Human Rights". The stamps will be issued in the United States, Swiss and Austrian denominations of 29 cents and 50 cents, F.s. 0,90 and S 6 and S 10. The 1992 annual collection folders will also be issued on Friday, 20 November.

Details about the new stamps and annual collection folders can be found in circular ST/IC/1992/64 dated 29 October 1992. The new stamps and hand cancellations may be obtained by staff members at the north end of the Secretariat Lobby today from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Africa Industrialization Day

In commemoration of Africa Industrialization Day, there will be a screening of a UNIDO video entitled "Building the future" today, 20 November 1992, at 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room C.

